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Application of: Schwab *et al.*

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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) FOR WITHDRAWAL OF
APPLICATION FROM ISSUE AFTER PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE**

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Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, hereby petition the Office of Petitions, pursuant to Rule 313(c)(2) of the Rules of Practice, to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the Issue Fee, in order to allow consideration of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted concurrently herewith. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that this Petition be acted upon with dispatch to avoid inadvertent issuance of a patent from the instant application.

Concurrently herewith, via Hand Delivery, Attorneys for Applicants file a RCE for the above-identified application and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Please charge the required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h), which is estimated to be **\$130.00**, and any fee deemed necessary, to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A favorable and prompt decision regarding the above-identified application is courteously requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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